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CATTLE MEN MEET.

Amador and El Dorado Stockmen's Association Holds an Interesting Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Amador and El Dorado Stockmen's Association was held in the court room in Jackson on Tuesday last. On account of the weather, and the bad state of the roads, the attendance was smaller than usual. Amador county was well represented, but the members from El Dorado county failed to respond.

C. L. Culbert, president of the organization, presided, and W. E. Finn was secretary.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, C. L. Culbert; secretary, W. E. Finn; treasurer, Geo. A. Kirkwood. An advisory board was appointed as follows: John W. Jones of Ione, O. C. Meyers, and C. E. Froelich, with the president and secretary of the association as ex-officio members.

A committee on by-laws, and marks and brands was appointed as follows: C. E. Froelich, O. C. Myers and Geo. A. Kirkwood.

The chief ranger of the Tahoe forest reserve, in which Amador and El Dorado counties are situated, was present at the meeting.

A general discussion concerning the cattle interests was entered upon; also in relation to the grazing on the government reserve. Applications for permits to graze were made by nearly all of those present who desired to have stock within the Tahoe reserve. Those driving stock upon Alpine public lands will have to make application to the forest ranger at Gardenville, Nev., as that county is included within the Mono reserve.

It was decided to hold the next annual meeting in Jackson on the last Tuesday in January of next year.

The association adjourned out of respect to three prominent cattlemen, who had passed to their final rest since the previous meeting namely, S. W. Bright of Jackson, C. Bamert and D. B. Pardoe of Jackson valley.

The Pure Food Law

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by Jackson Drug Store Spagnoli, Prop.

Bob Love Brings Bride to Jackson.

Robert L. Love, better known to his many friends here as "Bob" Love, was a visitor at his mother's home in this city during several days of this week. Mr Love brought with him his bride, who was Miss Anna M. Flynn of Oakland, and remained from Sunday night to Thursday, receiving the congratulations of his acquaintances.

The wedding of Mr Love and Miss Flynn took place in Oakland on January 17th. It was a quiet affair, at the parsonage of St. Patrick's Catholic church, the Rev. Father J. P. McNailey, pastor of the church, officiating. Immediately after the ceremony the newly wedded couple departed on a wedding tour through the northwest, visiting Vancouver, Seattle, and Portland. The greater part of their time was spent in the latter city, whence they came directly to the home of the groom's mother in Jackson.

Mr Love's bride is a very charming young woman, well known and popular in her home city, Oakland. During the few days which she spent in Jackson she made many friends by her pleasing manner. Oakland, the present home of both, will be the place of residence of Mr Love and wife. The groom is cashier of the Southern Pacific Company in the Oakland office.

Lame Shoulder

This is a common form of muscular rheumatism. No internal treatment is needed. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely twice a day and a quick cure is certain. This Liniment has proven especially valuable for muscular and chronic rheumatism, and is sure to give quick relief. Chamberlain's Liniment is also most excellent for sprains and bruises. Price, 25 cents; large size 50 cents. For sale by Jackson Drug Store Spagnoli, Prop.

Installations.

Amador Lodge No. 65 F. A. M. of Jackson installed officers for the ensuing term on Tuesday evening as follows:

J. F. Wilson, worshipful master; G. W. Lucot, senior warden; F. H. Duden, junior warden; J. H. Langhorst, treasurer; B. I. Kerr, secretary; Jas. Harris, chaplain; John Ould, marshal; C. W. Schacht, senior deacon; E. J. Trevasakis, junior deacon; John Guisto, tyler.

Past master Jas. E. Dye was the installing officer, assisted by John Ould, past master of ceremonies.

Private installation was held by the members of Ursula Parlor No. 1 N. D. G. W. on Tuesday evening Jan. 26. Owing to the illness of the district deputy, Speranza Malatesta, past president, Catherine Garbarini installed the officers. The following officers were installed for the ensuing term:

Past president, Annie Angove; president, Loretta Mae Rose; 1st vice pres., Annie Hurst; 2nd vice president, Margaret Kirkwood; 3rd vice president, Esther Turner; recording secretary, Emma F. Boorman; marshal, Bertha Lucot; trustees, Henrietta O'Neil and Lena Glavinich; inside sentinel, Flora Podesta; outside sentinel, Flora Gilbert; organist, Ida Peck.

After the officers were installed senior past president, Emma Boorman, presented in behalf of the members of the parlor, Annie Angove, past president with a handsome N. D. G. W. pin.

Prisoners in Jail.

There are six prisoners confined in the county jail. One was lodged therein from Ione last Monday to serve a sentence of one hundred days for misdemeanor. Another is Riley Aleck, the Indian, awaiting trial on a charge of beating his wife. Another Jackson Dennis, who is charged with embezzlement of the funds of the Sutter Creek bank, and has been unable to furnish the necessary bonds for his release on bail. Then there is the Italian who pulled a gun on another in a saloon just beyond Amador City, who has been sentenced to several months in the county jail for simple assault. The other two are A. Borello and D. Manzo, who have been tried and found guilty of arson in connection with the burning of the Summit hotel on Sutter hill, and sentenced to imprisonment in the state prison. They are detained in the county jail on a writ of probable cause, pending the result of an appeal to the appellate court. It is over six months since they were convicted, and the commencement of the sentence will not begin until their reception in the state prison. So that in the event of the judgment being affirmed, they will lose all the time they have been in the county jail. It will take at least six months before a decision of the appellate court is likely to be rendered in these cases, as statement on appeal has yet to be settled.

Colonists Rates on The Southern Pacific.

The Sacramento valley development association has been notified by the Southern Pacific Company that colonists rates will be put into effect this year. Daily during March and April, from all eastern points, tickets will be sold to main line points on the Southern Pacific in California. For instance, the rate from Omaha will be \$25 and from Chicago \$33. This is 85 less than the colonists rates for 1908, and this reduction will apply on all tickets from all points in the east to California during this period.

The large tracts of good land which are being subdivided and sold in the Sacramento Valley will need these settlers. The colonist tickets sold to the Sacramento valley during 1908 was an increase over previous years, although the aggregate of colonist tickets sold to California probably was not as large as other years on account of the financial depression in the east. From the increase in this movement to the Sacramento valley it would seem that the colonists are finding out the many opportunities that await them here.

Fever Sores

Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in healthy condition. This can be done by applying Chamberlain's Salve. This salve has no superior for this purpose. It is also most excellent for chapped hands, sore nipples, burns and diseases of the skin. For sale by Jackson Drug Store Spagnoli, Prop.

RAVAGED BY A WORM. A Menace to Stockmen.

Stockmen in the valley section are becoming alarmed on account of a bug or worm that is attacking the grass, materially interfering with the capacity of the land for grazing purposes. The matter was a topic of discussion at the meeting of the stockmen's association held in Jackson last Tuesday. The ravages of this pest have so far been confined to the low lands of Jackson and Ione valleys so far as Amador county is concerned. The same trouble is reported from other counties in the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys. It is said that a large area has been devastated by the pests to the serious detriment of the grazing lands. It is thought to be a new insect pest, not encountered before, or at least to such an extent as to menace an important industry. While the evil is principally confined to the valley, the bug is slowly invading the foothills. It has been met with as far up as the mineral belt. On the Froelich lands near Martell it has been noticed. Reports say it is similar in appearance to an angle worm. Its mode of operation is eating the grass, or attacking the roots so as to greatly diminish the crop. A specimen of this bug was on exhibition at the gathering of the stockmen this week. So important is the subject deemed, that the sample was left with C. L. Culbert, the president of the association, so that it may be sent to government experts in San Francisco for critical examination, with a view of determining the best method for its extermination. It was forwarded to the authorities this week, and a report may be looked for in the course of two or three weeks.

Stomach Trouble Cured

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr J. P. Klotz of Edina, Mo., says: "I have used a great many different medicines for stomach trouble, but find Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I have ever used." For sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, Prop.

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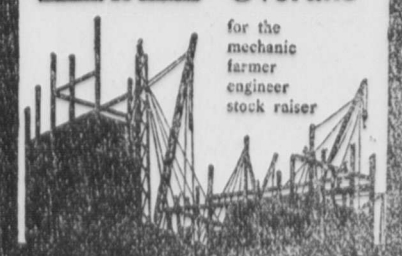
Dr. Endicott, county physician, went over to Drytown on Tuesday, and released from quarantine the last of the smallpox patients there. The afflicted one was a boy named Donovan. It was one of the worst cases that has developed in that section. All of those afflicted with the complaint recovered speedily. There is not a case of the disease in the county at present, so far as the health officer knows. Drytown was the last place of refuge for this dread plague. A number of cases occurred in that village.

Reports are current that a newly married couple from this county, while on their wedding tour, got as far as Sacramento, where the groom was quarantined on account of smallpox, the eruptions having broken out after he got started on the honeymoon tour. We have not been able to verify the report. The incident shows the mild character of this once fearful plague. Often the stricken one moves about as usual, suffers not in the least, at the same time carrying the unmistakable pustules that invariably accompany the fully developed disease.

Prehistoric Vegetation.

On the Garibaldi gravel claim near Volcano, at a depth of nearly 30 feet, they came across the trunk of a tree, and other remnants of vegetation of prehistoric times. These relics of forest growth of the distant past were found in a soft deposit of clay and cement, not in hard bed rock. But the peculiar feature is that nearer the surface was a lava cap, indicating that the trees were overwhelmed prior to the overflow of lava; probably they were thrown down and covered up by the very convulsion that caused the deposit of lava.

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MINING NOTES.

Garibaldi Placer Claim.—The Garibaldi placer claim in Boardman gulch, near Volcano, is in full operation by hydraulic process. It started up nearly two weeks ago, and has been running steadily since. This in the mining ground about which there has been considerable controversy, and seems to have escaped the argus-eyed prospectors of early days. By an accident its auriferous character was discovered by the Garibaldi brothers. Of course the operations have not progressed far enough to tell anything about how it is likely to yield, still the owners are very confident about the outcome.

The tremendous rains of the past month has added immensely to the flow of water in the mines. At the Zeila it requires the baling of water fully one half the time to keep the water down. At one time the water rose in the shaft eight or ten feet in the course of an hour.

Grazing Permits.

A notice has been posted up to the effect that applications for grazing permits in the Mono forest reserve which includes Mono, Alpine, and other countries, must be filed in the office of acting supervisor J. C. Wells, at Gardenville, Nevada, on or before the 1st of March next. The secretary of agriculture has authorized the grazing of 3875 head of cattle and 45,000 sheep on this reserve. The rates established are:

From April 1st to October 15, cattle 35c, horses 50c, per head.

From May 15 to October 15, cattle 30c, horses 40c per head.

Sheep from June 15 to Oct. 15, 7½c per head.

Ran Off the Track.

On Wednesday the freight train between Galt and Ione got off the track at a point some twelve miles from Galt, and two miles from Clay station. One box car got astride of the rails, and caused all the trouble. There was not a wreck, no overturned car, and no particular damage done to track or cars. Nevertheless it involved a great deal of work and much delay to get the car righted. A wrecking train had to be got from Galt, with all the necessary appliances to lift the displaced car in position. This took several hours. The Jackson stage did not reach its destination until midnight—about seven hours behind time. The mail was not distributed until the following morning.

Church Notes.

Order of services at the Methodist Episcopal church as follows: Sunday school at 2 p. m., preaching services every Sunday to commence at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

EPISCOPAL.

Regular services will be held in St. Augustine's Episcopal church as follows:

11 a. m.—First and third Sunday in each month.

7:30 p. m.—Second and fourth Sunday in each month.

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Hotel Arrivals

National: Thursday—Geo S Kirby, Salt Lake; A L Trowbridge, San Francisco; Eli Harris, Butte; J Rinehart; W Liversedge, Pine Grove.

Friday—F R Crum, Geo. A Prowse, Stockton; M Cohen, San Francisco; H O Willis, J C Mugford, Sacramento.

Saturday—Geo. R Ocker, Stockton; P M Walton, Plymouth; A Woolfolk, M P Werry, N L Cummings, Electric; J H Homes, Salt Lake.

Sunday—A E Smith, Geo. A Gray, W J Shirley, R M Blair, Stockton; Capt. W B Webber, Ed. F Armstrong, Harry Quiggle, Sam Haller, San Francisco; W S Salisbury, W R Strecht, Oakland; R M Stickel, Hamby Mine.

Monday—P Holzmark, Ben Abraham, San Francisco; Evan W Kelley, Nevada City; W D Curtis, Sacramento; J W Williams, New York City; J H Charles, W R Willett, Tracy; F G Herron, South Carolina; W E Denend, Volcano.

Tuesday—G M Waechter, Sutter Creek; Mrs T Driscoll and son, Stockton; W Wallace, San Francisco; J W Rosenberg, Oakland; F Grosse, Sacramento.

Wednesday—D V Gelder, San Francisco.

Globe: Thursday—C Locke, S Row, San Francisco.

Friday—E P Leahy, Sacramento; F Menesini, San Francisco.

Saturday—J A Thonton, San Francisco; H Bradley, New York Ranch.

Sunday—Chas H Bennett, San Francisco.

Monday—J Gardella, Mokelumne Hill; Wm. Fass, A R Grist, San Francisco.

Tuesday—Frank Jox, Sutter Creek; J W Pearson, Berkeley; D N Roberts, San Francisco; T A Chichizola, Amador City; Mrs R Tonzi, John A Tonzi, Ione; Henry Greilick, Drytown; J N Polkovsky, San Francisco.

Wednesday—M Gray, Frank Stewart, Oakland; Wm. Brown, Sacramento.

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Will Observe Lincoln's Day.

Superintendent of schools, W. H. Greenhalgh, has sent out circulars to the school teachers of the county, calling upon them to comply with the recently passed law for the observance of the centenary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, as follows:

To the Teachers of Amador county.

Ladies and Gentlemen:—Please let me call your particular attention to the fact that the legislature of this state has just passed an act directing the schools of California to observe Feb. 12th, the one hundredth anniversary of Lincoln's birthday, by appropriate exercises. This act was signed by the governor yesterday, so that it is now a law. The state superintendent is preparing a Manual or hand book of Lincolnian literature, which is now in the press. I will send you this as soon as possible.

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POLITICAL RECREANCY.

The vote of senator Caminetti, a democrat, for Geo. C. Perkins a republican, for United States senator has elicited considerable comment pro and con. It strikes one as a most incongruous spectacle for a legislator to vote against his party principles in that way. It is a vote to overthrow the party that elected him. It is doubtful whether it can be successfully defended from any standpoint. A man running on a party ticket, and depending mainly on the votes of those believing the same way politically as himself, is supposed to keep in line with the doctrines of his party on all party questions. The fact that at the polls he received a good many votes from members of the opposite party, should not absolve him in the least from his allegiance to the party of his choice. Neither has he any right to promise on the hustings that in the event of his election he will be governed in his voting on strictly party matters by anything that will tend to break up the organization to which he belongs. To hold otherwise means the dissolution of party ties. There is no doubt that the choice for United States senator so far as the senatorial district which Caminetti represents is concerned was and is Geo. C. Perkins. This fact cannot be pleaded in extenuation of the representative traveling outside of his party in casting his vote. Neither can any promise that he made from the stump justify such action.

AFTER CONSTABLES.

A bill is before the legislature to abolish the office of township constable. It proposes in its place to clothe the sheriff of each county with the power to appoint as many deputies as may be needed. The change is evidently in the direction of making the sheriff the grand sachein politically of the county. It would greatly enlarge the scope and political influence of that office. While the present law, giving constables a salary, instead of being paid by fees, as formerly, is bad enough, this plan to concentrate all the business in the sheriff's office would be infinitely worse. It would largely swell the revenues of that official, and is not calculated to be of any advantage as far as the detection and punishment of crime is concerned. The constables throughout the state, who have a fat thing as the law now stands, are gathering at Sacramento to fight the proposition that aims to knock them completely out of business. No doubt the law regarding township peace officers needs amending. It is decidedly one-sided. But the scheme to raise the sheriff to a position of political bossism is not likely to command public approval. We presume this bill is one of the results of the organization formed recently by the sheriffs of the state, with the avowed object of protecting the interests of these officials.

HARRASSING THE PRESS.

In every legislature there crops up some wise ones who are actuated by a grudge against newspapers. They have run up against the press at some time in their public career, and got worsted, and in a spirit of vindictiveness they imagine it would be a good thing to change the present libel law so that the publishers might be more easily harrassed by malicious suits. They want to repeal the law requiring a bond of \$500 as a preliminary to the starting of a suit against a publisher. It is true that a few publishers abuse their position, but the vast majority of those papers which exert a wholesome influence in shaping public opinion are governed by conscientious motives. The present state legislature has a sprinkling of these would-be press reformers. We are surprised that a man like Grove L. Johnson should be arrayed among the number. He is an able man, and should know better than to embark in an enterprise that holds out nothing but disappointment and vexation. Savage is another reformer who would take a fall out of the press. He believes that God had nothing to do with the making of the modern newspaper anyway. We think he would be nearer the truth had he asserted that God had nothing to do with the make-up of the average legislature. However, the press will no doubt survive these biennial assaults. Not one of the cinch measures stands the ghost of a show to become a law.

Senator Caminetti has introduced a bill for the state to build railroads, which shall be used something after the fashion of the present public highways. From the brief outline of this proposition given in the press, the scheme seems to be on the free-for-all, go-as-you-please system. Our representative thinks it is just as feasible for the state to construct railroads, and farm them out to patrons, as to build wagon roads. It is now in order for some other visionaries to propose the taking over of stage lines, factories, stores, newspapers, and every other department of industry, by the government. Surely the millenium dreamed of by socialists is close at hand, when such impracticable schemes are trotted out in all seriousness before a legislative assembly.

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Fortunes For Animals.
Dr. Christians of Venice left 60,000 florins for the maintenance of his three dogs, a Mr. Harper settled \$500 on his "young black cat," and a Frenchman named Souchat left his entire fortune to his tortoise.

Watchmakers' Oil.
Watchmakers' oil is from the jawbone of the porpoise.

The Starfish.
The starfish, netted, commits suicide. It dissolves itself into many pieces, which escape through the meshes of the net. Then a kind of resurrection takes place, each piece growing into a perfect starfish.

A Scotch Custom.
In many parts of Scotland it used to be the custom to place on a man's tombstone the symbols of his trade. Thus a sugar cane would decorate the grave of a grocer; an ax and saw, with hammer and nails, would be found on that of a carpenter, an awl and a hammer on a shoemaker's grave, and so on.

William Penn.
William Penn is buried at Jordans, England. He was seventy-four years old when he died.

The Servians.
The Servians are of the Slavic family and came from Galicia in the seventh century. Their language is also Slavic, but is distinguished from kindred languages by the predominance of vowels, which render it soft and melodious.

The Trick of Thieves.
A mastiff was trained to assist thieves in Paris. It was in the habit of bounding against old gentlemen and knocking them over in the street. A "lady" and "gentleman," owners of the dog, would then step forward to assist the unfortunate pedestrian to rise and while doing so would ease him of his watch and purse.

Bangkok.
Bangkok is a city of waters. It is an Indo-Chinese Venice. More people live in floating houses on the Menam, "the Nile of Siam," and the many canals than in permanent buildings.

Trimming Trees.
In trimming trees the wound made by cutting off a limb close to the trunk will soon heal over, while the wound made by cutting off the limb two or three inches from the trunk leads to decay and sometimes causes the ultimate loss of the tree itself.

Gold Coins.
The United States never coined gold pieces of a higher denomination than \$20. Some years ago a jeweler at San Francisco struck gold pieces of the value of \$50, but that was on private account.

The War of 1812.
Many historians assert the United States' declaration of war against England in 1812 was due almost wholly to the desire of the United States to annex Canada.

A Valuable Bible.
A very valuable book is a Hebrew Bible of the Vatican. In 1512 the Hebrews tried to buy it of Pope Julius II. for its weight in gold. It is so large and heavy that two men can hardly lift it, and it would have brought \$100,000.

Coal Mines.
The oldest German coal mines were first worked in 1195. They are near Worms. England did not begin to mine its coal until the fourteenth century.

A Rare Butterfly.
Five hundred and fifty dollars has been paid for a single specimen of the antineus butterfly.

Punishment by Spearing.
Among the aborigines of Australia the most common form of punishment less than death is the spearing of the offender through different parts of the body.

Cow's Milk.
Taking the result of a large number of analyses by different chemists, it may be said that the average percentage composition of cow's milk is as follows: Casein, or cheese matter, 3.64; butter, 3.55; milk sugar, or lactose, 4.70; saline matter, .81; water, 87.30.

Blue Knob.
The greatest altitude in Pennsylvania is Blue Knob, being 3,136 feet above the sea.

Took Him at His Word.
A young man of Vienna thoughtlessly promised his aged aunt that he would never part with any treasures she might bequeath to him. He now finds at her death that he has taken upon himself the care of fifty-six cats.

Hens as They Lay.
A hen attains her best laying capacity in her third year. She will lay in an average lifetime from 300 to 500 eggs.

Lovers' Kisses in Old Rome.
Under the Romans if a lover kissed his betrothed before marriage she inherited half of his worldly goods in the event of his death before the marriage ceremony, and if she died her heritage descended to her nearest relatives.

Jamaica Ginger.
The ginger grown in Jamaica commands more than double the price of any other. Under favorable conditions an acre will produce as much as 4,000 pounds.

OFFICIAL MAP

—OF—

Amador County

veys by D. C. CARLTON, showing township and school district boundaries, ownership of all lands according to assessment roll of 1904, mineral claims, canals, location of all school-houses; also a townsite map of principal towns, namely Jackson, Sutter Creek, Ione, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano.

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Amador County! Descriptive Article

Amador county comprises an area of 548 square miles. It lies on the western slope of Sierra Nevada mountains, and embraces within its territory all the diversity of valley foothill, and high mountainous lands.

Climate.—The climate of the populous portions of the county is as genial and healthful as can be found anywhere in California. As climate is one of the most valuable assets of this favored state in attracting population, Amador stands second to no county in this regard. It should, and no doubt will in time, when its climatic advantages are more thoroughly understood and appreciated, become a health resort not only for those in less favored states, but for the residents of other parts of California. The temperature alone the central portion rarely falls below 30 degrees above zero in winter, and as rarely rises to 100 degrees in the summer. Snow seldom falls in the settled districts, and never remains on the ground for more than a few hours. Of course, in the high mountain regions of eastern Amador the snowfall is very heavy—which is characteristic of the entire Sierra Nevada range. The summer season is always accompanied with cool nights; permitting of sound, refreshing slumber. Fogs are rare, cyclones are unknown, thunderstorms are infrequent.

Gold Mining.—The county, although rich in other sources of wealth, comparatively untouched, is noted principally for her quartz mines. The deepest gold mines in America are located here. The Kennedy mine is now taking gold in liberal quantities from quartz extracted from a depth of over 3000 feet below the surface, with every indication that the pay-ore extends to a much greater depth. Since the discovery of gold, the county has contributed fully \$100,000,000 to the world's supply of the precious metal. The mines are still yielding at the rate of about two million dollars annually. Nearly all of this wealth is produced by eight or ten mines operating on what is called the "mother lode," stretching clear across the county in a north-easterly direction a distance of twenty miles. The mines aggregate between 400 and 500 stamps, and furnish employment for over 1000 miners. This industry is still in its infancy. The unexplored territory, even along the main gold belt, is far in excess of the ground that has actually been worked or prospected. The county offers today one of the most inviting fields to be found anywhere in the world for the investment of capital in the fascinating business of gold mining, not alone along the mother lode, but also in the almost untouched mineralized country of the east belt, some ten or twelve miles from the main lode.

Besides gold, we have copper, deposits of pottery, coal, marble, slate, limestone, granite, and soapstone or talc—all undeveloped.

Agricultural Capabilities.—The agricultural possibilities equal, if not excel, the mineral riches. The valley lands will produce anything that can be grown in the most favored sections. In the foothill lands all kinds of deciduous fruits thrive; also all kinds of vegetable are raised where irrigation is practicable along the numerous water courses. Further up in the mountains, at an altitude of 2000 to 2500 feet, the soil is admirably adapted for apples and potatoes. A ready market for many times the quantity now raised of these commodities can be found in the various mining towns.

Grape culture and winemaking are becoming important industries, both the grapes and wine commanding a better price than the product of the lowland.

Land is cheap compared with other California lands. Improved farms may be secured for one-fourth the price current in some places. Unimproved lands can be had from \$5 to \$10 per acre. It does not require a fortune to buy a small ranch. There is room for a large addition to our agricultural population. Vast tracts now devoted to cattle ranges might be made the homes of hundreds of prosperous farmers.

Amador has a population of less than 12000. Three fourths of this is concentrated in a strip of three miles above and below the mineral belt.

Jackson, the county seat, has about 2500 inhabitants, and is an incorporated city of the sixth class. Other towns are Sutter Creek, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth, Volcano, Pine Grove and Oleta. Ione City is the metropolis of the valley section, a thriving town of 1000 inhabitants.

The community is law-abiding. Educational facilities are excellent. A schoolhouse is within easy reach of nearly every family. There is one high school, located at Ione.

The assessment roll for 1907 is \$5.-800,793, and the tax rate for both state and county purposes \$2 on the \$100.

The Southern Pacific has a branch railroad running to Ione. From this point the Ione and Eastern railroad extends 14 miles further to the mining section.

The various religious denominations and fraternal organizations are well represented.

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A Fine Thirst.

The Grand Prix, the famous French race that concludes the Paris season, is wound up in the evening by lavish private dinners at all the fashionable restaurants. A New York man once celebrated too well. He gave at the Cafe Americain a large supper, and the next afternoon an overseer saw a valet carrying to this man's room a fresh water bath.

"What are you doing with that bath?" the overseer asked.

"I'm taking it to No. 72, sir," said the waiter.

"But it is nearly 5 o'clock."

"He is still in bed, sir."

"But I thought," said the puzzled overseer, "that I saw you carrying a very large fresh water bath to No. 72 a couple of hours ago."

"So you did, sir," said the waiter.

"He drank that."

PATIENCE.

I stood within the halls of Joy And asked if one could point the way To Sorrow's house. With manner coy, Impatiently, each answered, "Nay."

I knocked upon the door of Pain. "Can tell where Sorrow lives?" I cried. But there, too, I had sought in vain.

"Joy is my mother," Pain replied.

Then met I one whose face serene Was as a light upon the earth.

"Sorrow," she said, with gentle mien—"Ah, yes! 'Twas she that gave me birth."

—Beth Slater Whitson in Metropolitan Magazine.

He Was Admitted.

A fussy military official once devised a system which compelled every one who went on business to General Banks to procure a ticket from a member of the staff, the presentation of which at the door gained him admission. One day a burly colonel came to the door of the private office at headquarters and requested that his name be given to the general.

"Have you a ticket?" he was asked.

"A ticket!" echoed the colonel, with scorn. "No, sir, I haven't."

"You can't enter here without one," was the reply.

"Sir," said the colonel, "when General Banks becomes a puppet show and I have 25 cents to spare I'll buy a ticket to see him, not before." He was admitted.

Tom and Jerry.

Tom Reed and Jerry Simpson, the noted Populist congressman, were great friends. Their good relationship came after this incident: "Say, Jerry," said Reed one day, "why are you a Populist?"

"For the same reason," said Simpson, "that you are a Republican. A majority of the people of our respective districts are of our way of thinking."

Tended to His Part.

Some years ago the Yankee schooner Sally Ann, under command of Captain Spooner, was beating up the Connecticut river. Mr. Comstock, the mate, was at his station forward. According to his notion of things the schooner was getting a "leetle" too near certain mud flats which lay along the harbor shore. So aft he went to the captain and, with his hat cocked on one side, said:

"Cap'n Spooner, you're getting a leetle too close to them flats. Hadn't you better go about?"

The captain glared at him.

"Mr. Comstock, jest you go for'ard and tend to your part of the skuner. I'll tend to mine."

Mr. Comstock went for'ard in high dudgeon.

"Boys," he bellowed out, "see that that er mud hook's all clear for lettin' go!"

"Aye, aye, sir!"

"Let go, then!" he roared.

Down went the anchor, out rattled the chains, and like a flash the Sally Ann came luffing into the wind and then brought up all standing. Mr. Comstock walked aft and touched his hat.

"Well, cap'n, my part of the skuner is to anchor."—Everybody's.

The Difference of a Letter.

A professor in the University of Berlin who came to this country a year ago was much surprised when he traveled in a sleeping car to be asked by the porter for his berth ticket.

"My berth ticket?" he said. "I have my passport, I have my letter of credit, and I have even in my trunk my certificate of vaccination, but why the railroad should want my berth ticket I do not see."

"But," said the porter, "I must know whether you have upper or lower berth."

"Upper, of course," said the German. "Look at my passport. Does it not say, 'Well and highly born?'"

Practical Economy.

If you would succeed in business never spend a cent more than you earn. No matter how small your earnings, you should master this art. I use the word "art" advisedly, as so many young men appear to fritter away without so much as a thought all their earnings.—Marshall Field.

Journalistic Enterprise.

While stopping at a little Hoosier hotel in the course of a hunting trip in his native state Booth Tarkington lost one of his dogs.

"Have you a newspaper in town?" he asked of the landlord.

"Right across the way, there, back of the shoemaker's," the landlord told him. "The Daily News, best little paper of its size in the state."

The editor, the printer and the print-

er's devil were all busy doing justice to Mr. Tarkington with an "In our midst" paragraph when the novelist arrived.

"I've just lost a dog," Tarkington explained after he had introduced himself, "and I'd like to have you insert this ad for me: 'Fifty dollars reward for the return of a pointer dog answering to the name of Rex. Disappeared from the yard of the Mansion House Monday night.'"

"Why, we were just going to press, sir," the editor said, "but we'll be only too glad to hold the edition for your ad."

Mr. Tarkington returned to the hotel. After a few minutes he decided, however, that it might be well to add "No questions asked" to his advertisement and returned to the Daily News office.

The place was deserted save for the skinny little freckle faced devil, who sat perched on a high stool, gazing wistfully out of the window.

"Where is everybody?" Tarkington asked.

"Gawn to hunt th' dawg," replied the boy without removing his gaze from the distant fields.—Everybody's.

D'Ennery's Wit.

The Empress Eugenie once asked D'Ennery, the French dramatist, after the performance of one of his plays at the Tuileries, "How did your heroine get the poison that was so necessary for the denouement?" "Ah, your majesty," said D'Ennery, "that's just what I've never succeeded in getting her to tell."

Another time the directors of a theater where his drama, "The Two Orphans," was being rehearsed asked him what he was dissatisfied with. "Oh," he replied, "it's only that each of you has got an imbecile for a partner."

Wigwags and Snakes.

An American had been seated at a London dinner table next a rosy cheeked, gray eyed English girl who affected an absorbing and flattering interest in the United States, about which she seemed to have imbibed the usual extraordinary ideas of some Britons, especially with regard to the perils to be encountered in the more sparsely settled regions of the west. She tried her best not to be incredulous when assured that things were not really so bad as she imagined.

"It's reassuring to be told that there are not rattlesnakes in all the gardens," she said, with a dazzling smile, "but my cousin wrote me not long since that he had seen over twenty wigwags in one little village. Perhaps," she added as her companion made no immediate response, "perhaps the wigwags are not as venomous as rattlesnakes."

A Sartorial Reflection.

A young clergyman on his first appearance in the pulpit made a faux pas in a sermon directed against the very human fault of vanity. "Many a good woman comes into God's house to show off (perhaps she doesn't quite realize it, but the fact is unchanged)—to show off her best clothes." Then he glanced across the crowded pews and added, "I am thankful, dear friends, to see that none of you has come here for so unworthy a reason."

When God Lets Loose a Thinker.

Beware when the great God lets loose a thinker on this planet. Then all things are at risk. It is as when a conflagration has broken out in a great city, and no man knows what is safe or where it will end. There is not a piece of science but its flank may be turned tomorrow. There is not any literary reputation, not the so called eternal names of fame, that may not be revised and condemned. The very hopes of man, the thoughts of his heart, the religion of nations, the manners and morals of mankind, are all at the mercy of a new generalization. Generalization is always a new influx of the divinity into the mind; hence the thrill that attends it.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Easily Wakened.

When Dr. Blomfield was bishop of London he received several letters complaining that the architect of a new church in his diocese had disfigured the interior and exterior with "useless gewgaws." Consequently the bishop went down to the little town to make an inspection of the building and summoned the architect to meet him there.

The bishop could find nothing amiss with the exterior of the church nor with the interior until just as he reached the chancel he looked up and saw four wooden images apparently guarding the pulpit.

"What do those figures represent?" he inquired.

"The four evangelists, my lord," replied the architect.

"They appear to be asleep," said the bishop.

"Do you think so, my lord?"

"That's the way they look to me," said the bishop decidedly.

"John," called the architect to a man who was at work on one of the pews, "bring your chisel and open the eyes of the evangelists."

To Benefit the Poor.

A lot of minstrels went to an English country town and advertised to give a performance for "the benefit of the poor, tickets reduced to sixpence." The hall was crammed full. The next morning a committee for the poor called upon the treasurer of the concern for the amount the said benefit had netted. The treasurer expressed great astonishment at the demand. "I thought," said the chairman of the committee, "you advertised this concert for the benefit of the poor?" The treasurer replied, "Didn't we put the tickets down to sixpence so that the poor could all come?"

AMADOR LEDGER.
JACKSON, CAL., JANUARY 29, 1909

**FROM OUR
CORRESPONDENTS**

Correspondents Wanted

We want a regular correspondent in Amador, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano. We will send a daily paper free, also stationery supplies and stamps to any one who will act as correspondent in each of the above places. Let us hear from you. We want the news.

OLETA.

Jan. 19.—The past week was very stormy, the heaviest rain of the season fell. The creeks were very high all through these parts.

Joe Casselli of Amador City, was a visitor in Oleta from Sunday until Monday of this week.

Chas. Gilbert of the Umatilla mine, spent several days of last week in town with friends.

A. B. Gilbert is talking of going below Nashville to work for the winter.

Harry Weston of Plymouth, was a visitor in town last week.

Miss Mazie Knapp spent several days of last week in lone.

The W. C. T. U. women of Oleta, are preparing for an entertainment on the 22d of February, in which most of the young people have a part.

H. Schroeder is steadily on the improve, which his many friends are glad to learn.

Pansy.

JACKSON VALLEY.

Jan. 26.—Edward Bamert made a business trip through the valley Monday.

Miss Lucy Alford spent a few days of last week with friends in lone.

Hilda Coon of Clements, has been visiting her friend, Inez Bonham.

Ernest Lucas spent Saturday and Sunday in the valley.

Messrs Joe and Jack Dufrene attended the stockmen's meeting in Jackson Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs A. J. Bonham visited in Elliot a few days of last week.

Charles King, infant son of Mr and Mrs H. King, and little grandchild of Mrs H. D. Ranlett, died at their home in lone after a week's illness.

On account of the stormy weather your correspondent has not been out to hear any news.

DRYTOWN.

Jan 27.—This town is no longer dry, and as to more rain the indications are good.

Charles Kemp and Mr Hodge returned from Stockton last Thursday. Mr Hodge has left for Santa Rosa to close a deal on some property that he has bought near there.

P. B. Lemoin came over from Jackson last Saturday to attend the installation of officers of the Masons. Several prominent Masons attended the installation.

Dr. Endicott was here Tuesday to set free one of his smallpox cases.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

IONE.

Jan. 28.—While feeding one of the sausage machines the other day, Mr Long had the misfortune of letting his hand slip against one of the sharp knives cutting off the top of his third finger. Being unable to work on account of his injured finger, Tom Lane has assumed the position of butcher during his absence.

On account of the dangerous condition of the furnace, the lone grammar school was unable to hold session the first three days of this week. Workmen have been employed repairing the furnace, and this morning they were able to open school.

Tuesday morning the infant son of Mr and Mrs H. L. King passed away, at the home of its parents, after a week's illness with spinal meningitis. The funeral was held yesterday.

Mrs A. Bryson and daughter, Agnes, departed this morning for San Francisco, where they will visit for several weeks.

The train failed to arrive in lone until half past nine Wednesday night, on account of a wreck caused by a box car jumping the track.

Mrs Canady and children departed Sunday for their home in Utah, after a visit of several months with the Jack Marchant family.

Lester Miner is now acting as assistant barber in the shop conducted by Mr Potts.

Mr Long made a flying visit to Galt this week, going down in the morning and returning in the evening.

Don's Regulets cure constipation, tone the stomach, stimulate the liver, promote digestion and appetite and easy passages of the bowels. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

SUTTER CREEK.

Jan. 28.—The officers of Excelsior Rebekah Lodge No. 63 I. O. O. F. were installed Wednesday evening by D. D. president, Miss Mazy Knapp, of Oleta, assisted by grand marshal, Grace Johnson and the installing team. The members of I. O. O. F. No. 31, and Amador Encampment No. 17 were present and a number of invited guests, a pleasing and entertaining program was rendered. The retiring noble grand, Mrs Janette Lehmann, was presented with a jewel by Mrs H. Jones, in behalf of the order. The lady expressing her appreciation and thanks for the gift. A few humorous brief remarks were made by some of the brother and sisters, after which there was a royal supper—turkey and raviolas and all good things to follow. It was a wee small hour when the members and guests departed for their homes. The officers installed were as follows: Noble grand, Grace Johnson; vice grand, Sadie Gorman; recording secretary, Mrs E. Jones; financial secretary, Belle C. Simmons; treasurer, M. E. Smith; R. S. N. G., Mary E. Bawden; L. S. N. G., Lena Higgins; warden, Nellie Orchard; conductress, Ethel Stribley; R. S. V. G., Lily Trenaman; L. S. V. G., Annie Kriesman; chaplin, Amy Pharis; inside guard, E. Sausmon; outside guard, Lena Berta.

Miss Margaret Sanderson, daughter of John Sanderson, of this place, and Thomas Shannon of Sacramento, were married Tuesday the 19th instant at Holy Cross church, San Francisco. The bride was born and reared in Sutter Creek, but for several years has held a position in the glove department of O'Connor & Moffatt's in San Francisco. Mr and Mrs Shannon will reside in Sacramento.

Mrs George Graves of San Francisco, is the guest of Miss Edith Daneri.

Mrs Rebekah Thomas of Crockett, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs Thompson, at the Fremont mine for several weeks, is the guest of Mrs Edward Jones this week.

John W. Bawden left for Sacramento this morning, where he expects to remove his family in the near future to reside.

The officers of Amapoia Parlor No. 80 N. D. G. W. were installed last Friday night by D. D. G. president, Speranza Malatesta. Previous to the installation ceremonies four candidates were initiated into the order. Mary M. Lithgow, who has served as treasurer of the parlor for many years, retired from her office, and was presented with a cut glass mayonnaise service, in appreciation of faithful services rendered. An excellent banquet followed, during which merriment and the usual good times were enjoyed. The officers installed were as follows: Past president, V. Profumo; pres., S. Malatesta; 1st vice, Elizabeth Ramazzotti; 2d vice, Kate Burres; 3rd vice, A. T. Joy, marshal, Lena Bortano; recording secretary, Ida Herman; financial secretary, Rose M. Lawlor; treasurer, Emma Waechter; inside sentinel, Adeline Grady; outside sentinel, Emma Williams; trustees, Amy P. Pharis, M. Marre, Lena Cox.

I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 31, installed their officers for the ensuing term last Monday night. Mr Jones of lone, D. D. G. M. was the installing officers. A banquet was served at the close of ceremonies.

LOST—Between Pine Grove and New York Ranch December 19, 1908, a gold headed umbrella, initial N. G. and date Oct. 19, '08, engraved on it. Finder return to Pine Grove post office. Liberal reward. Miss Nettie Gondring, Pine Grove.

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Kodol is a perfect digester. If you could see Kodol digesting every particle of food, of all kinds, in the glass test-tubes in our laboratories, you would know this just as well as we do.

Nature and Kodol will always cure a sick stomach—but in order to be cured, the stomach must rest. That is what Kodol does—rests the stomach, while the stomach gets well. Just as simple as A, B, C.

Our Guarantee

Go to your druggist today and get a dollar bottle. Then after you have used the entire contents of the bottle if you can honestly say, that it has not done you any good, return the bottle to the druggist and he will refund your money without question or delay. We will then pay the druggist for the bottle. Don't hesitate, all druggists know that our guarantee is good. This offer applies to the large bottle only and to but one in a family. The large bottle contains 2½ times as much as the fifty cent bottle.

Kodol is prepared at the laboratories of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

AT CITY PHARMACY, JACKSON.

The Flood at Angels.

A private letter published in the Stockton Record gives the following particulars of the disaster at Angels Camp:

Aitaville, Jan. 22, 1909.

Dear Sister—We went down to see the Angels flood ruins yesterday. It was a sorry-looking sight. We had a terrible storm Wednesday night. The rain came down in torrents all night long. I began to think that the time had come for us to pass in our checks.

The Angels creek wiped out Chinatown completely, and one poor Chinaman lost his life. Dr. Pacheco's house, which stood on the creek, a blacksmith shop and a harness shop were carried down stream. You would never know that a house had stood there. The front steps of Dr. Pacheco's present residence were taken off. The bridge was wiped out and George Brodie's house was washed about eight feet down the side of the creek.

The water was a foot and a half high in Wesley Richards' livery stable. They thought that building was going, too, so they turned all of the horses loose.

The Stickle mill sustained considerable damage. Kingsley's folks were living in Dr. Pacheco's house on the creek. They lost everything and barely got out with their lives. They may consider themselves fortunate. The house was battered to pieces and carried down with the current. There is not one stick of it left.

Another poor man, who bought the blacksmith shop only a short time ago, paid \$400 for it, and lost everything. One of his sons slept in the shop and very nearly lost his life.

The flood came between 3:30 and 4 o'clock in the morning and the lights were all out. It was as dark as could be and the rain was still falling in a continuous downpour.

The train did not get to Angels Thursday night. The Milton stage did not leave Angels at all yesterday. The bridges between Angels and Jamestown are washed away and will be some time before trains can begin running again.

**NOTICE OF
Application for Patent.**

No. 0865.

In the United States Land Office, Sacramento, California, United States Mineral Survey No. 4668.

Jan. 5, 1909.

In pursuance of the act of congress approved May 10, 1872, William P. Senon, whose post office address is 924 Monadnock Bldg., in the city and county of San Francisco, state of California, does hereby give notice of his intention to make application for United States Patent for the Matrimony Mine, said mining claim belonging to and owned by said William P. Senon, and is situated and lies in Section Two (2) Township Six (6) North Range Thirteenth (13) East, Mount Diablo Meridian, in the county of Calaveras, state of California, and in West Point mining district.

The boundary line of the herein above mentioned lode claim is as follows:

Beginning at corner No. 1 thereof at an oak post 4 inches square and 3 feet long set 18 inches in the ground with rock mound, scribed 1-4668, the southeast corner of Section 2, Township 6 north, Range 13 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, bears South 88 deg. 12 min., east 626.06 feet distant; thence North 12 deg. 41 min., West 687.33 feet to corner No. 2, at which point there is an oak post 4 inches square and 3 feet long set 18 inches in the ground with rock mound, scribed 2-4668; thence North 42 deg. 44 min. west along western boundary of Blazing Star Quartz Mine survey No. 2972, 611.70 feet to corner No. 3, thereof, at which point there is a pine post 5 inches square and 4½ feet long, set 2 feet in the ground with rock mound, scribed 2-4668; thence west 108 feet to corner No. 4 thereof, at which point there is an oak post 4 inches square and 3 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground with rock mound scribed 4-4668; thence south 3 deg. 47 min., East 1122.26 feet to corner No. 5 thereof, at which point there is an oak post 4 inches square and 3 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with rock mound, scribed 5-4668; thence east 600 feet to corner No. 1, the point of beginning, containing 11.52 acres.

The variation at all corners of this survey is 17 deg. 30 min. East.

Total area of Matrimony Mine 11.52 acres

Less area in conflict with Oriental Q. M., Survey No. 2611 .43 "

Net area 11.09 acres

The names of the adjoining claims and also of conflicting claims are: Blazing Star Quartz Mine, Lot No. 75; South Extension of the Pride of Bummerville location No. 78; and Oriental Quartz Mine, Lot No. 67.

JOHN F. ARMSIRONG,
Register of the United States Land Office, Sacramento, Calif.
Date of 1st publication January 8, 1909.

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BORN.

WILLIAMS.—In lone, January 20, 1908, to the wife of William Stanton Williams, a son.

MARRIED.

GARDELLA-DORRAY.—In Jackson, January 25, 1909, by Alfred Goldner Justice of the Peace, John B. Gardella to Miss Edna F. Dorray, both of Mokelumne Hill.

MURPHY-BROWN.—In Plymouth, January 17, 1909, by Rev. Henry Richardson, Walter William Murphy of Cosumnes, Miss Gertrude Brown of Plymouth.

CORNICH-CHOROVICH.—In Jackson, in the Orthodox Greek church, by Rev. J. N. Paskovisky, Marko Cornish to Miss Melica Chorovich, both of Jackson.

DIED.

Siri.—In Kennett, Shasta county, January 25, 1909, Cesar Siri, a native of Italy, aged 29 years, 6 months and 25 days.

MILEY.—In Drytown, January 11, 1909, from old age, Miley, an Indian woman, aged about 85 years.

PHIPPS.—In Tuolumne, January 17, 1909, William Grant Phipps, formerly of Sutter Creek, a native of California, aged 44 years.

Summons.

In the Justice's Court of No. Five Township, county of Amador, State of California.

E. Levaggi plaintiff, vs. The West Pennsylvania G. M. Co., a corporation and C. E. McCafferty, agent, defendants.

The people of the state of California send greeting to The West Pennsylvania G. M. Co., a corporation, and C. E. McCafferty, agent, defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the Justice's Court of No. 5, Township, county of Amador, state of California, and to answer before the justice, at his office in said township, the complaint file therein, within five days (exclusive of the day of service), after the service on you of this Summons—if served within the township in which this action is brought; or, if served out of said township, but in said county, within ten days or within twenty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Make legal service and due return hereof.

Given under my hand this 10th day of December, 1908.

JOHN BLOWER,
Justice of the Peace of said Township.

State of California, Amador county. I, J. R. Huberty, county clerk of Amador county, state of California, hereby certify that John Blower before whom the annexed instrument was made and executed, and who has hereunto subscribed his name, was, at the time of so doing, a Justice of the Peace in and for the said Amador county, duly commissioned and sworn, and that his signature thereto is genuine.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name, and affixed the seal of the county clerk of said Amador county, this 6th day of January, A. D. 1909.

J. R. HUBERTY
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JACKSON, CAL. JANUARY 29, 1909

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office.

Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall	Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall
Jan. 1, 1909	59 61	.30	Jan. 17	58 61	0.79
2	48 60	.10	18	43 70	0.32
3	45 61	.08	19	47 65	...
4	55 61	.41	20	47 57	0.30
5	54 61	1.00	21	48 57	1.68
6	55 69	.25	22	47 58	1.53
7	54 61	.50	23	35 52	0.31
8	53 57	.92	24	30 50	0.19
9	43 57	.92	25	49 54	0.56
10	39 57	...	26	34 50	0.38
11	41 57	...	27	44 53	0.38
12	33 50	.47	28	43 63	0.13
13	44 48	2.78	29	34	...
14	43 57	1.33	30
15	49 57	1.87	31

Total rainfall for season to date .21.67 inches
To corresponding period last season 10.18

LOCAL NEWS

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone—Office, black 414; residence, Black 394; Jackson.

Mrs. Justus came up from Oakland Monday, for the purpose of disposing of the business and stock of graphophones of her deceased husband. She is staying at Mrs. Barker's on Peak hill.

Two feet of snow fell last Sunday at Pine Grove. A heavy snow fall occurred at all points above that village. The cold snap was at once manifest in reducing the amount of water flowing in the streams, and averted for the time being the danger of a further rise of water in the flooded districts of the valleys.

Jesse Kuykendall, a son of the late Rev. Kuykendall, who was pastor of the M. E. church here some twenty years ago, came up from San Jose last week with the intention of working on the Ledger. After looking around he concluded the conditions were not suitable, and gave up the idea of remaining here. He is visiting some of the old-time friends of his parents, and expects to stay for a week or so before returning to his home in San Jose.

James Hicks pleaded guilty on Friday to a charge of disturbing the peace. He was fined \$7.50 by the city recorder, which amount he paid after some little delay, and was discharged from custody.

As the result of an altercation near the Greek church on Saturday evening Nick Dragolovich was arrested on a charge of battery on Miel Cornich. Dragolovich pleaded guilty and paid the fine of \$25 imposed by the city recorder. Cornich suffered painful though not serious injuries as a result of the fight, in which Dragolovich used his dinner pail as a weapon.

In spite of the heavy storms and floods in all parts of California, the mail service in Jackson has hardly been disturbed. The postmaster states that the eastern and northern mails have come in on schedule time almost every day of the past two weeks. In this regard Jackson was much more fortunate than many other places in the state.

Fred Kudey was a passenger on Monday morning's stage, en route to San Francisco, where he spent a few days the early part of the week.

A big stage load of passengers came in Sunday night, a dozen traveling men from various parts of the state making up the list.

W. D. Curtis, agent of the Pioneer floor, was making his regular trip through the county this week.

The canals and plants of the Standard Electric Company have passed through this unprecedented rainfall comparatively unscathed. This demonstrates the high state of efficiency in which the system is kept. Probably no other electric plant in the state similarly situated, has passed such ordeal with such little damage.

Dr. J. D. Fogarty, dentist, Jackson. Office in Kay's building, Main street. Hours from 9 a. m. till 5 p. m. Telephone, Black 363.

Judge Wood left Sunday morning for Alamo, Contra Costa county, his former home. He is expected to return the latter part of this week, and will bring his family with him. That was the object of his trip, to arrange for leaving that county, and to accompany his wife and son hither. They have rented a portion of the Newman residence, near the court house, and will make their home there for the present.

Jackson has done remarkably well in the way of contributions to the relief fund for the earthquake sufferers in Italy. No town of this size in this section has done anything like as well. And indeed Amador county has made a record in this respect. The fund is not closed yet, so that the total amount cannot be given. Contributions from the employees of some of the mines are yet to be received.

W. Ross and wife have moved from the Mason dwelling into the rooms of Henry Weil in the rear of the Louvre restaurant.

District attorney Vicini was a visitor in Sacramento several days the past week. He returned Tuesday evening.

At the machine shop of Garbarini Bros. they are working on the contract of the manufacture of the boxes for bottled beer for John Strohm. They have 200 of these boxes to make, and it is a big job, one that we understand was never before undertaken in this county on anything like the scale. They have finished sides and ends for over 100 boxes, and are at a standstill for lumber. That home industry can compete with outside firms in the manufacture of these boxes is quite an advertisement for this county. The claim is that the boxes are not only equal in workmanship and material to the imported article, but also are cheaper, while at the same time leaving a fair margin of profit for the maker.

Chris Corilich an old time miner, employed at the Argonaut, had the third finger of his right hand broken by being struck with a rock on Wednesday morning, requiring a lay off of a few weeks.

A family named Williams arrived direct from New York on Monday evening. The members are man and wife and one child. They have taken up their permanent residence here, and have rented a dwelling belonging to Jos. D. Mason on Center street. Mr. Williams is an engineer, and will find employment in one of the mines.

Peter Savich, who kept a boarding house on the Hamilton tract has sold out, and left for other fields last Sunday.

A man named A. Trabucco came over from Mokelumne Hill Sunday, to consult Dr. Endicott about a swelling in his arm. The member has swollen to double its normal size. He has been here under treatment for several days. He is a vegetable peddler by occupation.

LOST—Dec. 19th from Volcano stage, between Jackson and Volcano, one straw hamper belonging to Maude J. McKenize containing clothing, one nugget pin and school books, name being in some of the books. Finder will return same to Volcano Stage Co., and receive suitable reward.

Wm. J. McGee will return from the city Sunday, and will be at his office here all of next week.

W. W. Plummer, a former resident of this county, came from Roseville Wednesday, and is spending a few days among his old-time acquaintances in this city.

Demolli, the labor agitator on socialistic lines, who was here some three years ago, and caused some criticism on account of his views, arrived in Amador county, after a prolonged absence, Wednesday night. He has been operating of late in the northern part of the state.

The only deed placed on record in the recorder's office this week was one from the Keystone Consolidated Mining Company to the Amador Keystone. This conveys all the mining claims of the old Keystone Company at Amador City to the new company. The reason for this transfer is that the old company neglected or failed to pay the corporation license tax, and thereby forfeited its charter. Hence a new company was formed, and the old corporation turned over all its property thereto. It does not appear that there has been any change of management.

W. F. Detert, superintendent of the Zella, returned home Wednesday, after spending a couple of weeks in the city.

The board of supervisors will meet in regular session next Monday.

The rainfall for the past week in Jackson has measured 1.56 inches, making the total for the season 21.67 inches. This month has been the wettest of any month since we have kept a record of such matters, covering a period of 30 years. The storm tapered off Wednesday, and yesterday the sun came out bright and warm. A few days of such warm sunshine will give a great impetus to vegetation. At present the grass has got a good start, and cattle are able to subsist on it.

A musicale for the benefit of the Methodist church will be given in Love's hall on Saturday, February 13. Full particulars will be given hereafter.

L. Gluckfeld left this morning for Sacramento, where he expects to meet his fiancée, who is en route from New York, and is due to reach the capital city tomorrow. From thence the pair will proceed to San Francisco, where the wedding ceremony will be performed. After a tour of a couple of weeks, they will make their home in Jackson, having taken apartments in the Webb building.

Mrs. W. Kelley of Sacramento is visiting her brother, Steve Angove and family in this city. They had met only once before during the past twenty-five years.

A very stringent ordinance has been passed by the city trustees against drunkenness. It is now a misdemeanor according to this law for any person to be found within the city limits in a state of intoxication no matter whether he is disturbing the peace, or obstructing the street or sidewalk. He cannot be found in any house other than the one occupied by himself, without coming under the provisions of this law. Heretofore a man under the influence of liquor, was not arrested unless helplessly interfering with the street, or a nuisance otherwise.

Dick Angove has the contract for painting the cottage erected by H. Follen at Martells. He has nearly finished the interior, and has made an artistic and very creditable job. The stormy weather has prevented him from painting the outside. The residence is in the bungalow style, and will be occupied by Mrs. Robinson, Mr. Follen's sister, who is now living in San Francisco.

Unclaimed Letters.

P. Andrews, Miglio Casazza, Domenico Franco, Stefano Giovannetti, Pietro Piccone, John Ratto, Miss Edith Linsel, Joko Stepoevich.

ARRESTED FOR BURGLARY.

Stole from One Who Befriended Him

A stranger, giving his name as Charles Darling, was arrested during Wednesday night on a charge of burglary. He entered the room of Henry Bradley in the Globe hotel, and took therefrom a pocket knife, and a lot of medical packages and other articles. It appears that he came to this county two weeks ago. Bradley first met him at New York Ranch. He was broke and Bradley, to help him along, gave him his board. Last Monday he came to Jackson, and put up at Ragne's boarding house, Bradley going security for his board and lodging. He conceived the idea of earning a living by peddling some medicine for certain complaints, and Bradley put up the necessary money to purchase the ingredients from the drug store, and the printing of labels. He started out Wednesday to do business, and it is reported made two or three dollars. Bradley wanted him to go and pay the money on account of board, which he failed to do, but instead squandered it on liquor. This angered Bradley, who told him he would have nothing further to do with him. The outfit was deposited in Bradley's room. Bradley retired late that night, about twelve o'clock. When he retired he found the room in a state of confusion. Drawers had been ransacked, the medicine packages and labels gone, also his knife. He at once suspected the stranger who had been befriended, and helped over the period of storm. Officers were notified. Night watchman Parker found him in a place on Main street, with the booty. The knife was tucked away in his boot. The supposition is that having dissolved with Bradley, he wanted to get possession of the stock in trade, and leave town to ply the business elsewhere. Bradley's room where the burglary was committed is on the third floor, with a window over the opening of the stairway. To get in was a perilous feat, as the intruder had to climb over the banister, and then open the window, and climb into the room, running the risk of falling into the stairway opening and breaking his neck. A man under the influence of liquor would be wary about taking the chances. Darling got in that way, the marks of his feet being left on the window sill. The accused admits the deed and also that he has served a term in the state prison, a sentence of two years. He was liberated in 1907. Bradley is resolved to prosecute this rank case of ingratitude.

Sight Injured.

A miner named Frank Demassa, while working in the Kennedy, had his eye injured on the 21st inst. The next day it was so inflamed and painful that he sought the advice of Dr. Endicott, who recommended him to see Dr. Boyson of Plymouth, a specialist in such cases. He went over there, and received some treatment, and was told to remain a few days, which he declined to do. So he went to San Francisco, and was treated by Dr. A. Barkan, a well-known specialist. Dr. Endicott has received word from the doctor that a piece of steel, about the size of a pin head had been extracted from the affected eye. Whether the patient will recover the sight of the eye is still in doubt.

SUPERIOR COURT PROCEEDINGS

HON. F. V. WOOD, JUDGE

(Geo. L. Thomas vs. Lazar Skulich. Judgment by default filed; execution issued.

Chas. Dufrene vs. Allen Estate Co., et al.—Answer of defendant Jos. Dooley filed; answer of Allen Estate Co., filed.

New Cases

Application of Margaret Kirkwood to terminate the life estate of Margaret Holtz.—The petition sets forth that Melini Bernedich, Margaret Kirkwood, John P. Holtz, Henry Holtz, Peter A. Holtz and Oscar C. Holtz are the owners of a reversionary interest in 80 acres of land in section 34 township 6 range 11. That on October 22, 1885, Margaret Holtz, deceased, became the owner of an estate therein during her lifetime; that she died on Nov. 16, 1908, and her life estate in the property has thereby been terminated. A decree is asked that said life estate be judicially terminated, and that the above named be declared entitled to the possession of the same. February 6 appointed for hearing.


Fred Culbert vs. F. Alleyne Orr et al.—Suit to recover the sum of \$3000, with interest at the rate of ten per cent from July 23, 1906. Complaint sets forth that on the above date defendant executed and delivered a note for the sum stated, with the rate of interest above named, and also to secure payment executed a mortgage on certain lands in sec. 2-7-10 and 35-8-10, near Plymouth. Suit is brought to foreclose said mortgage.

Died of Injuries.

Word was received here Tuesday that Caesar Siri, who was stabbed in a saloon in Kennett, in which he was employed as a bartender, died of his wound on Monday last. At the time he was fatally hurt, he was interceding as a peacemaker between two belligerents in the saloon, when one of them turned on him and stabbed him. His brother Giacomo Siri, left here at once on receipt of the news that Caesar was dangerously wounded. He returned to Jackson Sunday night, with the information that his brother was doing nicely, and there was no doubt of its ultimate recovery. Shortly after he got here, however, a dispatch came saying that Caesar was dying. He left again for Kennett the following morning, but whether he arrived there before the end came we have not learned. The remains were brought to this city Wednesday for interment. Deceased was a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge of Jackson, and under the auspices of that order the funeral was held to-day, interment in the city cemetery.

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STATEMENT

OF THE

Condition and Value of the Assets and Liabilities

OF

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DECEMBER 31, 1908.

ASSETS

Bonds, United States, State of California and Municipalities thereof.....	\$10,226,503.87
Cash.....	1,643,665.00
Miscellaneous Bonds.....	6,322,960.00
Promissory Notes, secured by Real Estate.....	34,122,421.12
Real Estate.....	224,900.79
Land and Building occupied by Bank as office.....	958,108.05
Contingent Fund.....	295,947.33
Total Assets,	\$53,794,506.16

LIABILITIES

Corporation owes Deposits.....	\$50,137,447.14
Accrued Interest.....	250,892.52
Taxes.....	45,054.81
Reserve Fund.....	3,361,111.69
Total Liabilities,	\$53,794,506.16

Number of Depositors, 75,292

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From Our Exchanges.

During the late storm the power house of the A. K. E. Company which is located on a low bar on the South Fork of the American, was flooded, as it was two years ago, and the power from that source was temporarily cut off. The water receded in about three days.—Nugget.

Last Thursday afternoon while feeding a large, power sausage machine, Mr Long got the end of his middle finger on the left hand at the second joint, torn off. He was busily engaged in feeding the machine and was just feeding the last when something attracted his attention and caused him in turning to place his hand a trifle too near the mill, and it required his whole strength to pull loose from the machine, which if he had not done, his whole hand would surely have been lacerated.—Echo.

Last Saturday evening as the train that runs between Galt and Ione was making its last trip, it ran over and killed a man, about three miles this side of Galt. The man was lying on the track; and the train so mangled him that it was impossible to recognize the features, but it has since been learned that the man's name was Marion Minkler, and that he lived near where the accident occurred; he was an old soldier and has several grown children. He had bought and paid for seven acres of land and had built a cabin and he was living on it, he had thirty odd dollars in his pocket and a bank book at the time of his death.—Echo.

Friday, February 12, 1909, is the one hundredth anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's birthday. Lincoln's birthday is now observed in many states as a holiday and Ione will do herself the honor of observing Lincoln's centenary in true American spirit. F. V. Wood, the recently appointed superior judge of the county, will deliver the oration, county school aurt. Greenhalgh will also participate in the exercises, which will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church on Friday evening, Feb. 12th. Program will be given in next issue.—Echo.

The three incorrigible boys recently ordered committed to the Preston School of Industry at Ione by Judge Sargent of the Juvenile court were taken away to that institution last night. They are Oscar Goodhart, James Clark and Walter Ratheke. They went in charge of Sheriff Neuhitt and probation officer MacLean. All three boys will remain at the school until they are twenty-one years of age, and will be given an opportunity to learn a trade and become useful citizens. Otherwise they will be brought back to Salinas and sent to a state prison.—Salinas Index.

Mr and Mrs E. I. Hoxsie returned on Tuesday to their home at Tonapah, Nevada, after a visit with Mr Hoxsie's brother G. B. Hoxsie, at Mormon Island. They were on their wedding trip.

Asbey Pettis, the promising young pianist of Berkeley, of whom special mention was recently made in the Republican is in Fairfield visiting his parents, Rev. C. E. Pettis, pastor of the Peoples' Methodist church and Mrs Pettis. He will start for Paris in a few days to complete his musical education.—Solano Republican.

Giles Otis Pearce has broken out again. This time it is a petition to the state senate for the impeachment of judge McSorley for high crime and misdemeanors. Fortunately, senators Curtin of Tuolumne and Caminetti of Amador, were posted as to the facts in the case, and the petition will probably die in the committee room.—Prospect.

The record of deaths in this county for 1908, shows that sixteen persons met death from accident during the year. There were five suicides in the same period.—Prospect.

Walter Murphy of Milton, a well known sheepman was quietly married last Sunday, in Plymouth, Amador county, to Miss Gertrude Brown of that place. The happy couple are now on a honeymoon trip to Southern California.—Prospect.

News was received here Thursday of the most disastrous effects of the heavy rain of that morning at Angels. It would appear that something in the nature of a cloud burst struck that vicinity between three and four o'clock in the morning and for a time the sight was appalling. Angels creek was quickly a raging torrent sweeping over its banks and carrying everything before it. Chinatown was flooded and many of the houses were washed bodily down the stream. The bridge on the road to Carson was carried away, but the upper bridge stood fast. It is impossible at this writing to get full particulars, but we learn that one Chinaman was drowned and that many of the residents of Chinatown barely escaped with their lives, some having to cut their way through the roofs of houses. The blacksmith shop near the bridge was carried away and a hardware store across the creek shared the same fate. Water stood 18 inches deep in Rich-

ards stable and all the horses, vehicles, harness etc., removed to a place of safety. Later reports from Angels give the number of buildings either washed away or badly damaged by the flood of Thursday morning, as thirty-one.—Prospect.

Story of a Case of Sharp Practice.

"I once came over on the same boat with Charles W. Morse," said a Chicagoan. "In a talk about finance over a bridge game one afternoon Mr Morse told us a story of sharp practice.

"He said there was a coach that used to run between Nola Chucky and Paint Rock, a matter of some ten miles. For lunch the coach stopped at a half-way house in Tin Can, and here a good 50-cent meal was put out—cake and pie, coffee and tea, and all the cold meats you could mention. "But the landlord of the half-way house had a mean little secret dicker with the driver whereby, as soon as the travelers had paid for their lunch and got fairly settled to it, a call would come for an immediate start. So off they'd all go, grumbling. They'd paid for 50 cents' worth of food and only eaten, you see, about 5 cents' worth.

"But along came one day a traveler with a sharp, right eye. The landlord found this chap, some ten minutes after the coach had started on again, still tucking pie and ham at a terrible rate.

"Why, man, he said, you've let the coach go without you."

"I know it, said the traveler, calmly, I was too blessed hungry to stop eating."

"Suddenly the landlord's face paled.

"Good gracious!" he said, "all my silver's gone!"

"It was, too. Not a knife, fork or spoon was left except the sharp-eyed man's."

"He said, as he kept on eating, that he had noticed a suspicious-looking character among the passengers—a man with a red beard, a hump and a limp—oh, very suspicious.

"The landlord sent a hostler on a swift motorcycle off to overtake the coach and bring it back.

"Well, in about forty minutes the coach returned. Then the sharp-eyed man came forth, wiping his mouth. But he made no effort to identify the suspicious-looking passenger. Instead he got aboard the coach, took his seat and said, coolly:

"Thanks, landlord, for the good feed. You'll find them spoons and things in the coffee pot. Now, driver, off we go again."

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AN EXPERT'S REFLECTIONS

A Santa Cruz Grand Jury That Goes After Things.

The Santa Cruz grand jury's expert reported yesterday, severely criticizing the supervisors of that county. He finds that \$14,000 were paid out on over 500 warrants for labor without stating where the labor was performed and that road sprinkling amounting to \$15,326 was performed by days' work instead of by contract. He also called attention to apparent discrepancies between the 1908 inventories of county property in possession of the supervisors and the inventories of 1907. The expert reported that indigents should be required to give receipts for all supplies furnished and that such supplies should be purchased at wholesale and not retail rates. The expert also recommended that the superintendent of the county hospital let his employees sign their own salary warrants, instead of signing them himself. That grand jury decided to remain in session all the year if necessary to see that the laws are obeyed.

LARGE INCREASE IN CUT OF GOVERNMENT TIMBER.

Washington, Jan.—Uncle Sam's national forests yielded an increase of 102 per cent in timber last year over the record for 1907, giving returns of \$849,027.24 to the government. Twenty-five per cent of this amount went back to the states in which the forests are located in lieu of taxes, in accordance with the provisions of the law. This revenue will be added to the state's fund for the support and maintenance of roads and public schools.

The amount of timber cut from all the national forests was 392,792,000 feet, board measure, as against 191,872,000 feet in the previous year. This figure for 1908 does not include the 131,482,000 feet given away to settlers, schools and churches under "free use" permits. This increase of 102 per cent shows a far better use and increasing productiveness of the forest under conservative methods of cutting. There was a marked increase in small sales last year resulting in an increase of 236 per cent in the number of sales, notwithstanding the fact that the timber contracted for was far less in the aggregate than in 1907.

In making timber sales the forest service seeks small in preference to large sales, and aims to safeguard a supply for future needs rather than to swell the immediate receipts. Were it desired, the present receipts from timber sales could be quickly doubled. During the year it was found necessary in the interest of a continued supply to restrict sales on many forests. Nevertheless, use of the national forests as a source of timber supply was more general than ever before.

The total receipts from timber sales each year have been as follows: 1905, \$80,136.62; 1906, \$245,013.49; 1907, \$668,813.12; 1908, \$849,027.24. Payment for timber is always required in advance. In large sales, however, and in small sales on occasion, payment is made in installments so arranged as to protect the government against loss without imposing unnecessary severe burdens upon the purchaser. Thus the receipts of each year represent substantially, but not exactly, the value of the timber sold and removed during that year.

COMMON SENSE

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GLOBE SIGHTS.

A pretty man is seldom good for anything else.

The woman a man would like to have worry about him seldom does it. No woman should blow her nose in the presence of the man who loves her.

There is no picture equal to the tintype, if you are satisfied with a likeness.

Every public speaker has been called by some one "The prince of orators."

The woman think that every time a man goes into a dry goods store, he is robbed.

You often hear people say, in a pitiful sort of way: "He's getting along in years."

It is easy to get orders over a telephone; but you can't collect over a telephone.

We have noticed that when a farmer travels, he carries less baggage than a town man.

A woman nearly always says of another woman: "She hasn't anything to do."

Yellow shoes will not look glaring, no matter how cold the weather turns, until it snows.

In a small town, when a young man freezes his ears his friends say he froze them going to see his girl.

Titles are greatly overworked. An Atchison man is known as "Professor" because he is professor of religion.

Everyone who leaves Atchison finally comes back, though a few wait until they are dead, and are sent here to be buried.

There is said to be a man in town whose hair has fallen out from fright. It is not as satisfactory as if it had turned white.

Of course, no sensible man is ashamed of his age, but he regards it as he does his bank account; nobody's business but his own.

This is the season when people who say that grapes can be kept all winter, by putting sealing wax on the stems, have nothing to say.

No man ever fell in love with a suffragist. When you find a suffragist married, her husband fell in love with her before she became a suffragist.

When a man announces at home that he has made a dollar, and his wife immediately wants half of it, he is convinced that he talks too much.

The price of feed is so high that the woman who can make money by keeping a cow this winter, should be entrusted with the finances of the nation.

You often hear this said of a man: "He's a dead one." That is, he is slow, and doesn't amount to any thing. Look yourself over: are you a dead one?

It is considered a breach of manners to answer a friend's letter under a week. A business letter should be answered by the next mail; a love letter never.

The women have struck a new scheme: they advertise for "housekeepers" instead of for girls. "Housekeeper" has less of a tin pan sound to it.

Every man who runs for office, says: "They are always talking of the importance of nominating good men for office. Now the people have a chance; let them vote for me."

It is estimated that in 3,000 years there will be but one man to every 200 women. We wonder if the women will be any happier then, with no men around to pick up after.

If a man does any business at all, half of his time down town he is in the same fix as the woman who has company, a crying baby, and ironing to do, and dinner to get.

Speaking of lonesome sights, have you observed a dismantled Christmas tree in the alley or the back yard, with the green beginning to fade, and the proud head drooping?

The longer we live, the more we admire polite, modest, agreeable people, and the less we worship those who have become great by accident, and impudent as a result.

There is one thing in favor of the silver fruit knives that are passed around on social occasions; they are so dull you have no fear that they have been used in cutting corners.

Most people are always expecting something important to happen. As a reporter, we have noticed that nine people out of ten, when asked for an item say: "Nothing new, as yet"

Sentiment will not hold out long against cold weather. An Atchison bridegroom neglected his kindling, and for two mornings has used his bride's love letters for starting the fire.

When a mother goes to a neighbor's to make a call, she is followed at ten-minute intervals by every child she has, until they are all with her, when it is time for the procession to start home again.

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Reported weekly for the Ledger.

One Town's Peculiar Product.—A

New Kind of Motor.—Cancer's Victims.—Fast Colors in Persian Rugs.—The Light-Cure in Europe. A Heatless Lamp.—Cooking in Nickel.—A Useful Artificial Leather.—The Hour-Glass for Accurate Time.

The quarrying of lithographic stone is the unique industry of the little German town of Solenhofen, about 45 miles south of Nuremberg. The material is a compact limestone of peculiar texture and a yellowish-gray or bluish-gray color, hard bluish stones being the more valuable, and Consul H. W. Harris, of Nuremberg, reports that the known area containing these stones is not more than 4 or 5 miles long by 2 or 3 wide. This little spot has supplied the world's lithographic stones for more than a century, while the supply promises to last at least one or two centuries longer. The deposit is in layers of half an inch to 6 or 7 inches thick, extending from the surface to a depth of 100 feet or more, and much broken and worthless rock is contained. Not more than one-twelfth of the stone removed is marketable, much of this having small value on account of the small sizes of the clear pieces. The industry employs 1200 men, and the product goes to all the civilized countries, the leading buyers being Germany, France, Italy and the United States in the order named.

The curious toy motor of Lucien Pournier, lately awarded the grand prize at a French exhibition, seems at first to furnish energy from nothing. Over a shallow vessel is mounted horizontally an axle, with a heavy, loose-fitting rod passing at right angles through it, and the ends of axle and rod are connected by cords of hemp. When liquid is poured into the vessel, the two lower cords are soaked and shrink, forcing the rod up. This raises the center of gravity, and the upper end of the rod falls, turning the axle and immersing the other pair of cords. Evaporation relaxes the top cords, so that the rod is again pushed up. Slow rotation can be thus kept up, and with several rods and sets of cords, it can be made fairly regular and continuous.

Late cancer research has shown that the disease exists among all races of men, as well as in domestic and wild animals, and that liability to it is greatest in the last third of the life span.

The art of the dyer is one of great importance in Persia, and the secrets of special colors are carefully guarded in certain families, and have been handed down from father to son for many generations. A warning to would-be buyers of high-grade oriental rugs has been given by U. S. Consul W. F. Doty, of Tabriz. A proper guaranty that only vegetable dyes and fixatives have been used should be secured, for unknown vendors are almost certain to sell rugs colored with chemical dyes, all of which—though there are different qualities—are liable to change on the first exposure to bright sunlight. Since their first introduction about 1860, the use of coal-tar preparations has been increasing, the cost being only one-third or one-half as much as that of the vegetable dyes. The cultivation of the madder plant, which yields more than sixty of the finest shades of red and yellow, has greatly declined in Persia, and the demand for the root is now small. Between thirty and forty shades of yellow are given by the shell of the pomegranate. Perhaps fifty varieties of blue are given by indigo; and for the best blacks and other coloring material it is said that there are employed hundreds of herbs and varieties of bark, vegetables and even some animal matter. Iron filings are used for a cheap and fugitive black.

The treating of skin diseases by powerful light rays is rapidly becoming popular in Europe and elaborate equipments, costing up to \$50,000, are being provided. A motor-car fitted with X-ray apparatus is to make regular tours over a large district in Belgium. A London expert has distributed fifty X-ray machines in English hospitals and institutions, and leading physicians are finding it desirable to give attention to light-healing. Besides the X-ray and the electric light bath, there is the "infra-red" light, which, producing intense heat, is used to draw the blood to some particular part of the body.

The "perpetual lamp" of Prof. Molish is a glass flask of gelatine supporting a colony of phosphorescent bacteria. The light is less than that of a candle, but is sufficient

for photography, and germinating peas and lentils turn to it as a source of energy. Being without heat rays, it represents the much-sought cold light.

Nickel having come into extensive use in the kitchen, it is important to know what action food substances have on it, and how its compounds may affect a person eating food containing them. Late Russian experiments are reassuring on both points. Substances boiled in nickel vessels took up a small amount of the metal—from 0.0002 with some foods to as much as 2 per cent when the acid present is excessive; but a solution containing 4 per cent of citric acid and 5 per cent of common salt had only 0.144 per cent of nickel after boiling 3 hours in a nickel vessel and then standing 11 hours in the same vessel. The physiological effects of nickel salts were slight, while there was no tendency to accumulate in the body after repeated doses. Nickel in quantities up to a quarter of a gram daily, in the form of lactate or butyrate, was given to two dogs for 265 days, with no result; and a dog that died after taking 9.7 grams (about a third of an ounce) in 40 days had no nickel in its body, its death having been due to some other cause. Doses as large as 1 to 2 grams daily were necessary to give any symptoms of poisoning.

The leather substitute of Jules-Prosper Gauthier, a French chemist, is a combination of rubber with vegetable, animal or mineral fibers, and is claimed to give a material of high quality and low price. With 80 per cent of fibers and 20 per cent of pure or mixed rubber good results are obtained, the proportions being varied to give different pliancy and tenacity. The fibers may be spread out in bands and glued together with melted rubber, or they may be impregnated with rubber and compressed in molds or consolidated under rolls. If desired, the product can be vulcanized.

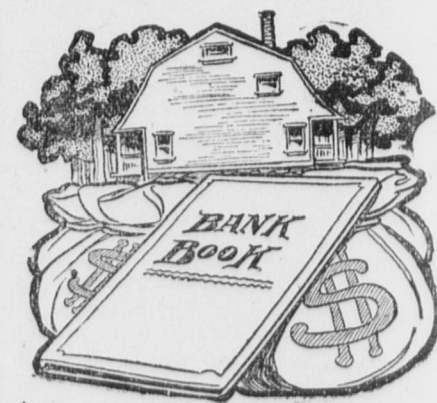
Instead of being obsolete and simply an interesting relic, the hour-glass in various forms is a twentieth century necessity. A machinist authority points out that for such purposes as timing hardening and tempering heats in twist drill manufacture, where seconds or minutes must be gauged accurately, nothing serves like the hour-glass with the right amount of sand. Accuracy to fractions of a second can be had much more easily than by watching the hands of a watch.

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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

DID YOU EVER NOTICE—

That after you have listened over and over again in sympathetic mood to the woes of a friend you begin to feel like a hypocrite?

That by and by the slow conviction is forced upon you that you are a hypocrite every time you give the sympathetic ear?

That inevitably a point is reached when you feel a most unholy desire to say to your companion that you don't know of anything that he needs half as much as a good beating up?

That the more you feel so the deeper the wretch goes into the details of his misery and the more desperately he claims your sympathy and your backing?

That the deeper grows your own humiliation in listening and the more he takes it as a salve to his wretchedness?

That you get a reputation for being a good consolator and for giving sweet comfort when all the time you are boiling over with the determination to make an end of it and put in some good lick in the interest of common sense?

Late Lamented.

Forgotten!
Gently
Put to sleep
And buried
Forty-seven feet deep,
Much deader
Really
Than the man
Who never was
An also ran.
Behold
The former
Candidate
Who ran
A hopeful race
And straight,
Who had
The office
Neatly won
The day
Before
The deed was done,
Who had
Arrangements
All complete
To move
Right in
And take his seat.
Behold
Him now.
He shuns the pike
And up
The back streets
Takes a hike.
Hope in his breast,
That beat
So high,
Today
Is nine-seventeen
Beats shy,
And there
Is nothing
Left to show
Except
Such debts
As he may owe.

Mind Reader.

"What are you looking for?" asked the flip stranger of the man who was feeling up and down his door.
"Trouble," replied the fellow who was searching for the key-hole.
"Yes, he is married," mused the amateur Sherlock Holmes as he passed on.

Saw a Resemblance.

"Pirates used to infest this coast," explained the summer hotel keeper.
"Yes?" said the guest languidly.
"Rumor has it that they buried treasure near here."
"Were they any relation to you?" asked the guest.

A Potential Rascal.

Any man is half a sinner till he gets his daily dinner. If his stomach acts well after, Then he yearns to be a grafter.

Illuminating It.



"Did they disapprove of your act?"
"Well, they threw eggs at me."
"Indeed, that lent color to the suggestion."

Nothing Doing.

"He says he does as he pleases."
"Sounds all right, but I notice the thing."
"What is that?"
"So far as most people are concerned, he seldom pleases."

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1909
LOCAL EDITORIAL COLUMN.
THE JAPANESE QUESTION.

The anti-Japanese bills before the California legislature are stirring up a lot of discussion, and engendering some feeling on both sides of the Pacific ocean. The bills aim to prevent Japanese from owing land in this state, and to prohibit them coming here in future, at least as settlers. The Japanese government regards this as an affront to that nation, inasmuch as it denies to Japanese rights which other aliens enjoy. For instance, Europeans are allowed to buy and sell real estate, whether naturalized citizens or not, why then, it is argued, should the little brown men be made an exception. No doubt there is some force in this argument. President Roosevelt, realizing the seriousness of any hostile legislation in the direction proposed, has appealed to governor Gillett to use his influence in preventing the enactment of these measures into law. They are calculated to breed trouble, and defer rather than facilitate the settlement of the Asiatic problem. It is urged that the Japanese government is doing its utmost to stop the further immigration of Japanese to the Pacific coast. On the other hand, it is said, the invasion of the Japanese continues, in spite of the government's efforts to suppress it, and this fact is pleaded as the reason for the proposed enactment of more severe restrictive laws. It requires no particular gift of foresight to predict that the Mongolian races whether Chinese or Japanese, must eventually be excluded from America. This will be done not in a feeling of hostility to these people, but in the spirit of self-protection. Admitting the marvelous development of Japan in late years, and its formidable character as a competitor in commerce or war, still they belong to a non-assimilative class, whose presence here in large numbers should and must eventually be prohibited at all hazards. President Roosevelt is in favor of accomplishing this diplomatically, without stirring up friction between the two countries, and this is undeniably the better way to proceed, even if it does require a few more years to reach the desired goal. Governor Gillett will cooperate with the federal authorities in this direction. The hostile measures will doubtless be withdrawn or strangled in some way. Still they serve a purpose, inasmuch as they demonstrate the determination of the American people, in those sections where the Asiatic peril is fully appreciated by actual contact with the Mongolian races, to get rid of the evil, even though it should entail a breach of the good feeling existing between the two nations.

The special session which is to be called immediately upon the adjournment of the present congress for the express purpose of revising the tariff, will be a lively affair. The rival interests are gathering data, and making all necessary arrangements to safe guard their respective sides. It will prove a very difficult and complicated task to change a tariff schedule which has prevailed for so many years, in a manner that will fair to all concerned. Of course, in any revision it is impossible to please all the contending parties. The object aimed at is to so reconstruct the tariff rates that no injury will result to domestic industries, at the same time prevent the factories from collecting enormous and extortionate rates for their goods, to the detriment of the home consumers.

A new reform: Why publish the age of the dead? It not only in many cases contradicts what the deceased always claimed through life, but adds to the sorrow of those sisters who are known to be older.
For a look of cold disgust you do not need to go to the theatre to see an actress, whose part demands such an expression; of the average married woman when her husband is telling his best story.
When a girl is sixteen years old, her mother goes crazy if a boy looks at her. Two years later, the mother is quite indifferent to boys, and when the girl reaches twenty, the mother thinks it mighty funny if her daughter hasn't gentlemen company.
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DOCUMENTS RECORDED.
The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.
Deeds.—Keystone Con. Mining Co. to Amador Keystone Mining Co., Keystone, Spring Hill, Genera, Niagara, East Keystone, and all other mining property and equipment of said party of first part, \$10.
Mortgage.—A. Fontenrose to John F. Brignole, lot 4 block 16, Sutter Creek, \$400 one year, 8 per cent interest.
Assignment of Mortgage.—Katherina Walkmeister to John Strohm, a certain mortgage executed by John B. Palmer and wife dated Nov. 7, 1904.
Mining Locations.—A. L. Reale and Laura A. Miller, Rago gravel mine, 40 acres 17-7-12.
C. A. Stirnman Blue Jay quartz mine, Volcano district.
W. K. Webster and James Hamilton, Massasoit quartz 14-7-13, Volcano district.
Certificates of Redemption.—A. Jones, on 120 acres in 32-7-12, also store building and blacksmith shop on Pine Grove hotel lot, \$18.59 taxes of 1907.
George Gillick, house and lot in Volcano lot 6 block 10. \$15.23, taxes of 1906.
Proof of Labor.—Francesco Baima on Baima quartz, Jackson district.
Peradotti Giovannoni on Peradotti Giovannoni quartz, Jackson district.
A. M. Vaughn on Caucasian and Bryan quartz, Plymouth district.
David Fisher on McKenzie North Clinton, Liverpool tunnel and Edinburgh, Clinton district.
Peter Leonesia on Farrell quartz, Middle Bar district.
Lis Pendens.—Filing of lis pendens made by Fred Culbert vs. F. Alleyne Orr et al. Land affected situated in 2-7-10, and 35-8-10.
Filing of lis pendens made by John Strohm vs. J. B. Palmer et al. Land affected situated in Jackson, being lot 9 block 12 and lot 10 block 12, Jackson Gate.
Patent.—U. S. to Charles Stockley, 90 acres in 7-7-13 as agricultural land.
U. S. to Thomas Deen, 80 acres in 27-7-13 as agricultural land.

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"—Lampoon.

Reformed to Death.
Nanny Goat—What's the matter with Billy? He looks as if he were on his last four legs.
"Neither Nanny—I'm afraid he is, poor kid! He has contracted the pure food habit, and it's killing him.—Cleveland Leader.

Modern Goose Up to Date.
The king was in his counting room, counting all his cash at hand,
For the queen was in the parlor playing bridge to beat the band.
While the maid was in the garden hanging out the clothes,
Down dropped an airship and chipped off her nose.
—Detroit Tribune.

The Cause.
Wife—What was the matter? I thought you would break down the house.
Husband—I dreamed I was trying to put on my clothes in the upper berth of a Pullman.—New York Life.

In Kokomo.
A stranger who lunched in Kokomo
Said, "I'll take a cup of cocoa or so."
The waiter was tough,
And he answered, quite gruff,
"Ye'll get a tap on the koke if ye call for cocoa in Kokomo!"
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Burdens.
"You think all women should take athletic exercise?"
"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne, "if they expect to wear hats as large as fashion prescribes."—Washington Star.

Famous For That.
I have not any cause to trust
My likeness on full many a bust
Years hence will be adjusted,
But, though denied that proof of fame,
I have already, just the same,
Full many a time been "busted."
—Kansas City Times.

Hopeful.
Barber—Your hair seems to be coming out.
Elderly Customer—Good! I've been under the impression all the time that it was going back.—Chicago Tribune.

Airships.
The airships do some better now.
They go up well enough,
But, say,
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—New York World.

The Power of Money.
Howell—Do you believe that money transmits disease?
Powell—I know that I'd have a fit if Jones paid me that \$5 he owes me.—Harper's Weekly.

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Notice is hereby given that pursuant to call of stockholders owning and holding of record more than one-half of the total outstanding shares of the Capital Stock of the Argonaut Mining Company, which call has been duly made pursuant to the provisions of Sections 314, 310 and 301 of the Civil Code of the State of California upon the ground that no election of directors took place on Monday, July 6th, 1908, the date fixed by the by-laws for the annual meeting of stockholders for the election of directors, and no adjourned or other meeting for the purpose of such election has been had or ordered by the Board of Directors, a meeting of the stockholders of said Argonaut Mining Company will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Jackson, county of Amador, State of California, on Monday, the 15th day of February, 1909, at eight o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors of said company for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting.
Dated January 22, 1909.
E. V. ZUMBIEL, Secretary.
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To the Honorable Fred V. Wood, Judge of the Superior Court of Amador county, California:

The undersigned, the Public Administrator of Amador county, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, hereby makes the to Superior Court of Amador county, under oath, a return of all the estates of decedents which have come into his hands since said last return, the value of each estate according to the Inventory and Appraisement thereof, the money which has come into his hands, from every such estate and what he has done with it, and the amount of his fees incurred in each estate and the balance, if any, in each such estate remaining in his hands.

H. E. POTTER,
Public Administrator of Amador county, California.

Name of Decedent	Appraised Value of Estate	Cash Received	Ex. of Administration, Debts, Funeral Expenses and Money distributed	Balance on hand	Adm'r's Fees	
O. Zanzucchi	\$ 809.00	\$ 809.00	\$ 438.85	\$370.15	\$56.60	Unsettled
Joseph Manley	No Appraisement	62.25	11.65	50.60		
O. Zanetti	99.92	99.92	99.92	None	6.99	Settled
John Voss	No Appraisement	55.40	6.00	49.40		Unsettled
Nick Sky	58.32	55.17	55.17	None	5.95	Settled
John Brazekovich	118.76	118.76	118.76	None	8.31	Settled
Mary Mullen	1310.00	1135.00	1135.00	None	82.40	
Anna E. Trelease	No appraisement	Nothing rec'd	Nothing paid			Unsettled

State of California, ss.

H. E. Potter, the Public Administrator of Amador county, after being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I was during all the times mentioned in the foregoing statement the duly elected, qualified and acting public administrator of Amador county; I have read the foregoing return made on this day by me to the Superior Court of Amador county, and know the contents thereof, and say upon my oath, that the same is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

H. E. POTTER,
Public Administrator of Amador county, California.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1909.
(Seal.) JOHN BLOWER,
Notary Public in and for Amador county, California.

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